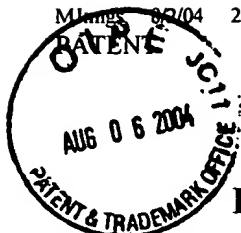


Corres. and Mail
BOX AF

61 AF
1763

MLimg 08/04 284308.doc

Attorney Reference Number 6541-62119-01
Application Number 09/580,689



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 Expedited Procedure

In re application of: Arturo Maria

Application No. 09/580,689

Filed: May 30, 2000

Confirmation No. 1763

For: FLOATING INTRUSION DETECTION
PLATFORMS

Examiner: Carl G. Colin

Art Unit: 2785

Attorney Reference No. 6541-62119-01

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as being attached or enclosed herewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AF, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.

Attorney

for Applicant(s)

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "M. C.", written over a horizontal line.

Date Mailed August 2, 2004

MAIL STOP AF
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED

AUG 11 2004

TC 1700

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

This responds to the Office action dated June 2, 2004. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.